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## PATENT

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## Transmittal of Patent Application - Rule 1.53(b)

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Title: DEVICES, COMPOSITIONS, AND METHODS INCORPORATING ADHESIVES WHOSE PERFORMANCE IS ENHANCED BY ORGANOPHILIC CLAY CONSTITUENTS

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